

# Feasibility studies of proton electromagnetic form factors with the $\bar{P}$ ANDA detector

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# Monte Carlo Simulations

**Signal:**  $\bar{p}p \rightarrow e^+e^-$

- $p(\bar{p}) = 1.7[\text{GeV}/c] \rightarrow s = 5.4[\text{GeV}/c]^2$
- $p(\bar{p}) = 3.3[\text{GeV}/c] \rightarrow s = 8.2[\text{GeV}/c]^2$
- $p(\bar{p}) = 6.4[\text{GeV}/c] \rightarrow s = 13.8[\text{GeV}/c]^2$
- $-1.0 < \cos \theta_{CM} < 1.0$
- $G_E/G_M = 0, 1, 3$
- $N = 10^6$
- PHOTOS *on/off*

# Monte Carlo Simulations

**Background:**  $\bar{p}p \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$

- $p(\bar{p}) = 3.3[\text{GeV}/c] \rightarrow s = 8.21[\text{GeV}/c]^2$
- $-0.9 < \cos\theta_{CM} < 0.9$
- $N = 10^8$

# PID algorithms

## PID algorithm:

- PidAlgoEmcBayes
- PidAlgoDrc
- PidAlgoDisc
- PidAlgoStt

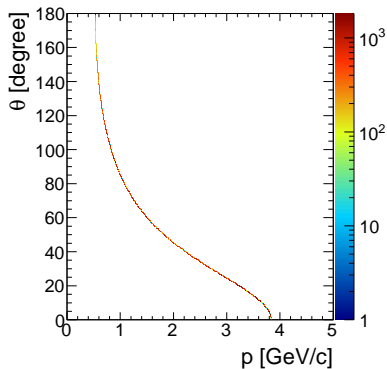
$P(e^\pm) > 99.9\%$

# Selection criteria

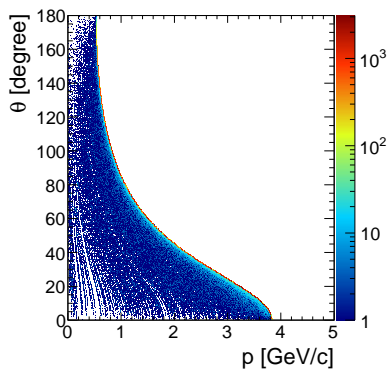
- The event must have only one positive and one negative particle after reconstruction
- Reconstructed track must NOT hit muon detector
- For both the positive and the negative particle,  $E/p > 0.8$  [(GeV)/(GeV/c)]
- $dE/dx_{STT} > 5.6[\text{KeV}/\text{cm}]$
- Common vertex  $-1 < X, Y, Z < 1\text{mm}$
- Energy and momentum conservation within resolution of 20%
- Number of crystals fired in the EMC  $< 5$

Monte-Carlo output for  $e^+e^-$ 

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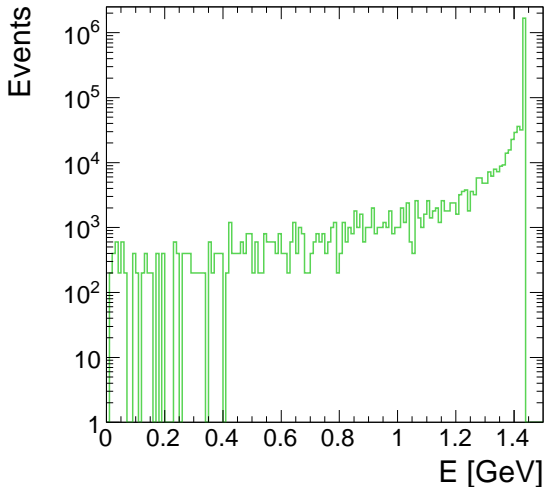


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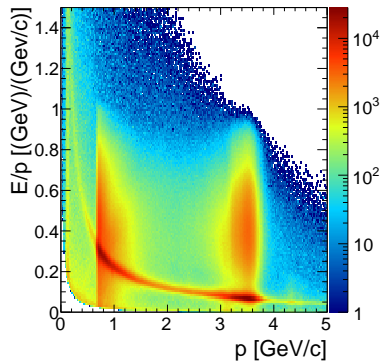
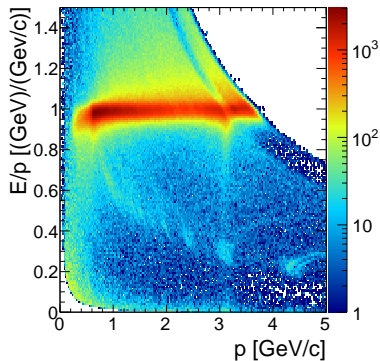


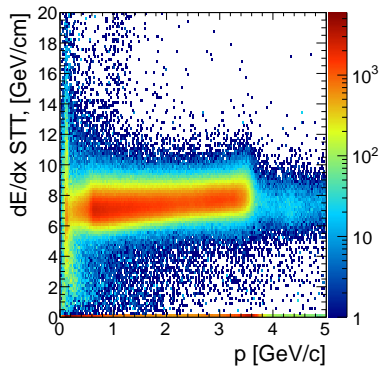
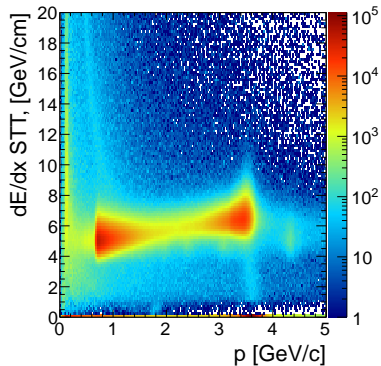
Monte-Carlo output for  $e^+e^-$ 

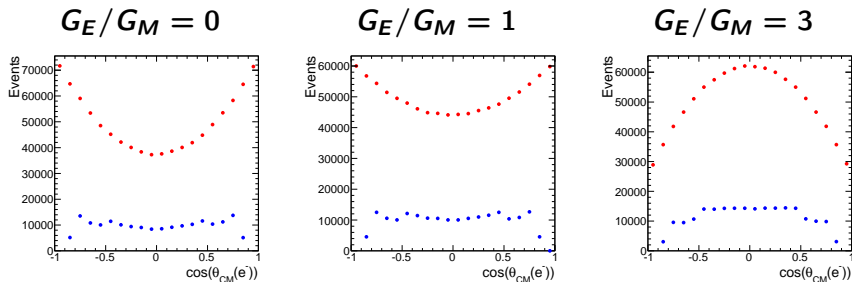
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$E/p$  vs  $p$  $e^+e^-$  $\pi^+\pi^-$ 

$dE/dx_{STT}$  $e^+e^-$  $\pi^+\pi^-$ 

Angular distribution for  $e^+e^-$ 

- Monte-Carlo
- Reconstructed

# Reconstruction efficiency of $e^+e^-$ and $\pi^+\pi^-$ pairs

$G_E/G_M$	$\bar{p}p \rightarrow e^+e^-$			$\bar{p}p \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$
	0	1	3	-
$\rho_{beam} = 1.7$ [GeV/c]	22.5%	23.5%	25.7%	-
$\rho_{beam} = 3.3$ [GeV/c]	17.7%	18.6%	21.0%	0.0%
$\rho_{beam} = 6.4$ [GeV/c]	11.0%	11.5%	13.6%	-